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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT RO

SUBJ: REQUEST FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR PRIME MINISTER'S WIFE

1. I WAS SUMMONED BY FOREIGN MINISTER MACOVESCU LATE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON (MAY 15) FOR WHAT WAS TERMED "AN URGENT MATTER". MACOVESCU RECEIVED ME ALONE. HE SAID HE HAD BEEN ASKED TO ENLIST MY "MORAL AID" IN HAVING ONE OR MORE AMERICAN HEART SPECIALISTS PRESENTLY IN BUCHAREST EXAM THE WIFE OF PRIME MINISTER MANESCU. FYI: THERE ARE CURRENTLY FOUR AMERICAN DOCTORS HERE IN CONNECTION WITH A LECTURE TOUR SPONSORED JOINTLY BY THE DEPARTMENT AND THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF CARDIOLOGY. END FYI.

2. MACOVESCU SAID MRS. MANESCU IS A HEART PATIENT AT THE ELIAS HOSPITAL IN BUCHAREST. HE SAID HE COULD GIVE ME NO DETAILS ON HER CONDITION, BUT THAT HE AND THE PRIME MINISTER WOULD BE EXTREMELY GRATEFUL FOR WHATEVER ASSISTANCE I COULD PROVIDE IN THE MATTER. I ASSURED HIM I WOULD PROMPTLY SEE WHAT COULD BE DONE.

3. I HAVE TALKED WITH DR. ARTHUR BEALL, LEADER OF THE GROUP. ARRANGEMENTS WERE MADE LAST NIGHT FOR DR. SUZANNE KNOEBEL AND DR. BORYS SURAWICZ TO EXAMINE MRS. MANESCU AT NOON TODAY. BEALL DOES NOT HAVE THE IMPRESSION SHE IS IN A CRISIS SITUATION.  
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